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23 August 1955

Memorandum for: Deputy Director of Security

Subject: Letter of 17 August from Sen. Gillette

1. Attached herewith is a new request from Sen. Gillette's Committee. In drafting a reply to questions 1 and 2, I would cite Sec. 7 of P.L. 110 as the reason for not supplying the numbers, but I think we may indicate that all of our positions are classified as sensitive. The answer to question 3 probably falls between you and the Personnel Office and the Comptroller. However, the Personnel Office cannot make a determination unless it knows which of the suspended cases fell under Executive Order 10450 rather than our employment review procedures.

2. The reply to Senator Gillette's letter of 17 August should be for Gen. Cabell's signature as Acting Director and should note the Director's absence from the country in the opening sentence.

3. For your files I am also enclosing a copy of Sen. Gillette's acknowledgment of our letter on the polygraph reiterating their agreement not to publish without consultation.

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Walter L. Pforzheimer
Legislative Counsel

Attachments

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SECURITY PROGRAM
(PURSUANT TO S. RES. 20, 84TH CONGRESS)



August 17, 1955

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Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.


My dear Director:

Pursuant to our authority to study the Government Employees' Security Program contained in Senate Resolution 20, dated February 21, 1955, we desire to have the following information:

- (1) Number of positions in your Agency classified as Sensitive Positions on June 30, 1953.
- (2) Number of positions in your Agency classified as Sensitive Positions on June 30, 1955.
- (3) Total amount of compensation paid by your Agency covering the period of suspension of employees who were suspended without pay (authority EO 10450 and PL 733) and restored to positions they held prior to their suspension or to another position.

An early response to this request will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely, .


Guy M. Gillette
Counsel